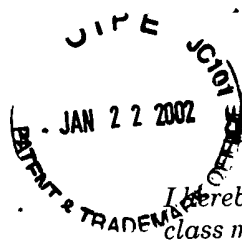


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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated August 22, 2001 for two months from October 22, 2001 to December 22, 2001.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 200	\$ 400	\$200.00

Submitted herewith is a check for \$200.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number C766:41994 with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

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